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OUR CIRCULATION.

It is our aim to keep the following paragraph standing for the benefit of all whom it may concern:

ADVERTISING.—We would commend the following facts to the attention of the advertising community. The "Wilmington Journal" circulates upwards of 12,000 copies weekly. Its circulation in the town of Wilmington is as large as that of any other paper published in the place. We would further state that its circulation in the counties which trade to this place is three times as large as that of any other paper published in North Carolina, and that it is daily increasing. We may, therefore, without the fear of contradiction, state that it is the best vehicle for advertising which the people of Wilmington can select. One other observation. We think that although a large majority of the readers of the "Journal" are Democrats, still they occasionally do little trading, as well as the readers of the whig papers. We have written the above merely for the information of those who are most deeply interested—business men of all professions and all political creeds—who want customers.

MAIL ARRANGEMENTS.

Post Office, Wilmington.

NORTHERN MAIL, by Rail Road, due daily at 10 A. M., and closes at 12 M. every day.

SOUTHERN MAIL, by Steamer from Charleston, is due daily at 8 A. M., and closes at 11 A. M. every day.

FAYETTEVILLE MAIL, by Rail Road, is due on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 3 P. M., and closes on same days at 10 at night.

FAYETTEVILLE MAIL, by Prospect Hill, Elizabethtown, Westbrooks, and Robinson, is due on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 9 A. M., and closes on same days at 10 P. M.

SMITHVILLE MAIL, by Steamer, is due daily at 8 A. M., and closes at 12 P. M. every day.

TAYLOR'S BRIDGE, LONG CREEK, MOORE'S CREEK, BLACK RIVER, CHERRY, and HARRIS'S CREEK, are due every Thursday at 6 P. M., and close every night at 10.

OSWEGO CREEK, HICKS CREEK, and TORSAL, are due every Monday at 4 P. M., and close every Thursday night at 10 P. M.

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BY AUTHORITY.

Laws of the United States, Passed at the second Session of the 29th Congress.

(Public Law No. 43.)

AN ACT to establish certain post routes and for other purposes.

[Sec. 1.] *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the following be established as post-roads:

Maine.—From Dixfield, through Peru, to Canton Mills, in the county of Oxford.

From Newport, through Corinna and Dexter, to Dover, in the county of Penobscot.

From Standish, through Litching, Sebago, Denmark, and Bridgton, to Portland.

From Brownville, in the county of Piscataquis, to Katahdin Iron Works.

From Monson, by Abbot, Parkman, Dexter and Newport, to Detroit, in Maine.

New Hampshire.—From Exeter to the city of Manchester.

From the city of Manchester to Amherst.

From the city of Manchester, through Candia, South Deerfield, Deerfield, Nottingham, Walley's Falls, Lamprey River, Stratham, Greenland, to Portsmouth.

Connecticut.—From Bakersfield, via West Enosburgh post office, and Enosburgh Falls post office, to West Berkshire.

From Bridgeville to Ludlow.

From Northumberland, New Hampshire, to Sutton, Vermont.

Rhode Island.—From Providence, Rhode Island, via Valley Falls, in Smithfield, Diamond Hill, in Cumberland, West Wentham, Franklin, Medway, and Holliston, to Framingham Depot, in Massachusetts.

From Providence, by Smithville or Clayville, to Killingly, Connecticut.

From Washington Village, in the state of Rhode Island, via Maple Root Meeting House, Weaver's Hill, East Cohasset Hill, in West Greenwich, to Volentown, in the state of Connecticut.

Connecticut.—From Thompson, via the post villages of Fisherville, New Boston, Southbridge, and Bridgewater, to Southbury.

From Southbury, via the post village of Southbury, to Southbury, in the county of Sullivan, through Colchester, to Walton, in the county of Delaware.

From Leroy, in the county of Genesee, via Roanoke, East Bethany, Bethany, and Brookville, to Alexandria.

From Wright's corners, in the county of Niagara, by the Hess road, to Somers, in the same county.

From State bridge, in the town of Lenox, Madison county, via North Bay, to the north point of Oneida Lake, to Camden, in the county of Oneida.

From Antwerp, in Jefferson county, by way of Shingle Creek, Fowler, Fullersville, Edwards', and Russell, to Canton, in St. Lawrence county.

From Norwich, in the county of Chenango, by Plymouth, South Otsego, and West Liskaen, to De Ruyter, in Madison county.

From Canisteota, in Madison county, by way of Purdy Creek, through Greenwood and West Union, to Andover, in Allegany county.

From Sempronius, Cayuga county, to Scott, Cortland county.

From Fulton, by way of Gilbert's mills, to Central square, in Oswego county.

From the village of Hampton, town of Westmoreland, in the county of Oneida, via Manchester, Walesville, and New York mills, to the city of Utica, in said county.

From Pratt's Hollow, in the county of Madison, via Pine Woods, to the village of Hamilton.

From South term, in the county of Albany, via Chesterville, Oranville, Longman's Hollow, to Coeymans Landing, in the county of Albany.

From Cannonsville, Delaware county, by Trout Creek, to Onondaga, Oswego county.

From Port Jervis, Oswego county, along the line of the Delaware and Hudson canal, to the mouth of the Lackawanna stream.

New Jersey.—From Burlington city, Burlington county, via Columbus, to Georgetown.

From Burlington city to Wrightstown.

From Stanhope to Strassburg, Pennsylvania.

From Square Village to the city of New York.

From Trenton, via Lawrenceville, to Pennington.

From Bordentown, in Burlington county, via Reelsdown, Jobstown, and New Egypt, to Freehold, Monmouth county.

From Flemington, in Hunterdon county, via Lebanonville and Cokesbury, to Germantown, in Bucks county, to Coopersburg, Lehigh county.

From Flemington, via Greenville, to Ringoes, Pennsylvania.

From the State road, to Mount Pocono.

From Elmhurst, Cambria county, through the woodland settlement, to intersect the Indiana and Crowsville mail-route at Newman's Mills post office.

From Montrose, via New Milford, to Lausboro', from Potstown, via Hillegass post office, Up- per Hanover, Montgomery county, Spinnertown, Bucks county, to Coopersburg, Lehigh county.

From Athens, in Bradford county, to Smithfield, in said county.

From Meadville, Crawford county, via Sugar Lake, to Cooperstown, Venango county.

From New York, York county, via Dover, Dillsburg, and Allen, to Carlisle, Cumberland county.

From York, York county, by East Berlin, to

York Sulphur Springs, (Petersburg,) Adams county.

From Brady's Bend, Armstrong county, to Andale, Butler county.

From Mountourville, in Lycoming county, via Warrenville, Isaac Bailey's mill, J. K. Thompson's, James Williamson's, Bietel's mill to Jersey Shore, in said county.

From Mercer, in Mercer county, to West Middlesex, in said county.

From Colomaville, in Lycoming county, via Susquehanna Township, to Williamsport, in said county.

From Huntington, via McCrystown, Juniata county, and Penn mills, Bolingestown, to Shade Gap, in Mifflin county.

From Warren, in the county of Warren, via Watsburg, Beaver Dam, Columbus, Wrightsville, Pittsfield, Youngville, and Irvine, to the city of Erie.

From Brookville, in Jefferson county, via the State road to Staeburg, in the same county.

From Grahamsville, in the county of Pike, to the mouth of the Lackawanna.

From Ligonier, in the county of Westmoreland, to Donegal, in the same county.

From Reddeville, in Mifflin county, via the Kishacoquille's Valley, to Locke's mill.

From McConnellsbury, Bedford county, via Webster's mill, to Hancock, Washington county, Maryland.

From Berryburg, Dauphin county, via Uniontown, to Georgetown, in Westmoreland county.

From Mercer, to Harrisville, Butler county, via Union mills.

Virginia.—From Osbornsford, Scott county, Virginia, to Letcher Court House, Kentucky.

From Saltsville, Washington county, to Hendricks's mill, Russell county.

From Mechanicsburg, by the house of James Davidson at the Rocky Gap; thence along the valley of the south or muddy fork of Wolf Creek, by the house of Pleasant Murphy, to Tazewell Court House, to return by the valley of Wolf Creek, by the house of Henry W. Dills and Rocky Gap, to Mechanicsburg.

From Blacksville, Monongalia county, to Warren, in said county.

From De Kalb, Gilmer county, to Harrisville, Ritchie county.

From Peddlers' mills, in Amherst county, to Fairfield, in Rockbridge county.

From Fairmont, via Jeremiah Hess's, to Salem, in Harrison county.

From Fairmont, Marion county, through Prichard, Taylor county, and Phillips, the county seat of Barbour county, to Buchanan, in Lewis county.

From Smithfield, on the national road, by Brandonville, Kingwood, Evansville, to Phillips, from Staunton, via Beverly, Weston, to Parkersburg, on the Ohio river.

From Fincastle, Botetown county, to Blacksburg, Montgomery county, via Catawba.

From Clarksville to Halifax Court House.

From the village of Treaton, on Willis river, to Canton county, to Columbia, in the county of F. uanna.

From Wytheville to Grayson Court House.

From Yellow Branch, in Campbell county, via Maston Jack's mills, and Arnoldtown, to Leesville.

From Sperryville, Rappahannock county, to Robsonville, Madison county.

From Salem, in Roanoke county, to Boon's mill, in Franklin county.

From Holston post office, via Holston river, to Saltville, in Washington county.

From the Red Sulphur Springs, in Monroe county, to Princeton, in Mercer county.

From Glade Spring to Emory and Henry College, in Washington county.

From Lebanon to Sand Lick, in Russell county.

From Fredericksburg to the store of William Coleman, in said county.

From Louisa, via the Sulphur Springs, Flesham, on Swell Mountain, on the old Kanawha road, and Hughart's, to Fayette Court House.

North Carolina.—From Powell's Point or Elizabeth City, to Nag's Head, North Carolina, touching at Roanoke Island.

From the village of North Carolina, via Helton, to Shadrick Greer's, in Grayson county, Virginia.

From Johnsonville or Murchison's mills, to Harrington.

From Marion, upon Crooked Creek, to Hendersonville.

From Albemarle, via Morgan's mills, to Clear Creek, North Carolina, to return by Thomas Rowlands.

From Salisbury, via Brengle's Ferry, to Troy, from Fayetteville, via Averasboro', to Smithfield, sixty miles.

From N. S. Jarrett's, in Macon county, North Carolina, to Forsyth, Taney county, Missouri.

From Smithville, Lawrence county, via Thomas Asa's, to Pilot Hill.

From Bentonville to Lebanon.

From Elizabeth, in Jackson county, to Walcott, from Marion, in Jackson county, via James Deaton's, to Smith's, Poinsett county.

From Dwight, Pope county, to Clinton, in Van Buren county.

From Clarksville, Johnson county, to St. Paul, from Rock Roe to Berkeley.

From Jersey, White county, via the Chickasaw crossing and Oakland, to Helena, in Philip county.

From Little Rock, via Alexander Murphy's and Kinderhook, to Richmond, Izard county.

From Fort Smith to Tullinsville, Scott county.

From Arkansas Post, via Lagrow's springs, to Crockett Hill.

From Helena, in Phillips county, via Spring Creek settlement, Oakland post office, in St. Francis county, to Batesville, Independence county.

From Van Buren, Crawford county, to Fayetteville, via James G. Williams, Howard's, Hathaway's store, and Enos Harris's.

From Smithville, Lawrence county, to Richmond, Izard county, via Thompson's mills, Mount Vista and Grissell's ferry, across White river.

From Washington's, Hot Spring county, to Dallas, Polk county, via Mount Ida and Caddo Cove.

From New Madrid, Missouri, to Memphis, Tennessee, via Hickman's bend, Mill bayou, Osceola, Pecan Point, Frenchman's bayou, Oldham and Marion, in Arkansas.

From Jasper, in Newton county, to Lebanon, Searcy county, via Thomas Jones's, at the mouth of Big Creek.

From Eldorado, Union county, to Monroe, Ouachita parish, Louisiana, via William Chapman's store, William F. Bond's store, in Union parish, Louisiana, and Duval's store, Louisiana.

From Fort Versailles, via mouth of Big Buffalo, to Bolivar.

From Independence, via Dent's Fort, to Santa Fe.

From Independence to Astoria, in the Territory of Oregon.

From Dado Court House, via Buck Prairie, to McDonald.

From Casaville, via John B. Williams's, to Fayetteville.

From Georgetown to Lexington.

From Warsaw, via Ocoels and Batesville, to Fort Scott, in the Indian Territory.

From Washington's, via John B. King's, to Mayfield, Arkansas.

From Bolivar, via Hannamville, to Ocoels.

From Washington, via the county seat of Texas county, Ellsworth and Wickliffe, to Little Pine, neg.

From Thompsonville to Rockbridge.

From Canton, via Monticello, Sand Hill and Memphis, to Lancaster, Schuyler county.

From Bolivar, via Buffalo, to Woodbury.

From Harrisonville to Little Ogee.

From Georgetown to Cole Camp.

Alabama.—From Geneva, Alabama, to Uchee Anna, Florida.

From Decatur to Moulton.

From Double springs to State Line, Georgia.

From Abbeville, via Freeman's store and Skipperville, to Newton Court House.

From Black's Bluff to Pool's store.

From Americus, Georgia, via Lumpkin, Florida, Georgetown, Euflala, Clayton, Louisville, Monticello and Troy, to Gasaville, Alabama.

From Lebanon to Langdon.

From Barnes's Cross-roads, via Indigo Head, to Louisville.

From Montgomery to Youngville—changed so as to include Mount Jefferson.

From Village spring to Aurora post office.

From Euflala, via Abbeville, Columbia, Woodville, to Marianna, Florida.

From Double Springs to Jacksonville.

From Double Springs, via Ashville and Springville, to Elyton.

From Double Springs, to Rome, Georgia.

From Tusculum, via Wilson Sheppard's post office, Isaac Cain's post office, to Jasper.

From Jasper, via Eldridge, to Pikeville.

From Point Smith to Buzzard Roost.

From Decatur, via Houston's store, to Jasper.

From Jacksonville, Benton county, Alabama, via Terrapin Creek, Augustin Young's, to Van Wert, Paulding county, Georgia.

From Blountsville, by Murphy's valley, to Aurora.

From Ashville to Montevallo.

From Carrollton, Georgia, to Rockledge, Randolph county.

Florida.—From Pensacola, by Apalachicola, St. Mark's, Cedar Keys and Tampa Bay, to Key West.

From Key West, via Miami river, Indian river and Mosquito inlet, to Charleston.

From St. Mary's, Georgia, by Nassau Court House, to Jacksonville, Florida.

From Jacksonville to Alligator, by Brandy Branch.

From Oklawaha to Fort Butler.

From Oklawaha, from Houston to Starkville.

From Delta, Coahoma county, to Panola.

From Pontotoc to Ragdale's stand.

From Houston to Columbus.

From Columbus to Hopewell.

From Louisville to Starkville.

From Jackson, via Paulding and Leashville, to Mobile, Alabama.

From Hillsboro', via Ludlow and Densetown, to Canton.

From Hernando to Chulahoma.

From Jacinto, Tishomingo county, via Danville, New Hope, to Matamoros, Tennessee.

From Starkville, Oetobehann county, via Springfield, Brown's mills, to Shogalov, Carroll county.

Louisiana.—From Vidalia to Lake Providence, via Sicily Island, Deer Creek, and Bayou Macon.

From Shreveport to Logansport.

From Trinity, in the parish of Catahoula, down Black river, to Howe's, in the parish of Concordia, Louisiana.

From St. Joseph, via W. innabore, to Monroe.

From Yazoo city, in the state of Mississippi, via the court-house of Josephina county, Providence, Louisiana, Bastrop, to Monroe, Washita county, Louisiana.

From Mansfield to Logansport, De Soto parish.

From Mansfield to Pulaski, Penola county, Texas.

From Pulaski, via Steele's, Caddo parish, to Greenwood.

From Washington, parish of St. Landry, to Bayou Rouge, via Hedstrom's, McBride's and Morgan's, to the mouth of White river.

From Covington, via John Perkins and Wadsworth's, to Pear river, in the parish of St. Tammany.

Arkansas.—From Pine Bluff, via Princeton and Dallasport, to Washington.

From Batesville, up Poke tayou, via John Martin's, to Pilot Hill.

From Helena to the mouth of White river.

From Eldorado to Warren's, in Bradley county.

From Clarendon, Monroe county, to Surrounding Hill.

From Oakland Grove to Des Arques Bluffs, on White river.

From Pilot Hill to Rockbridge, Ozark county, Missouri.

From Benton, Saline county, via Preston Bland's to Perryville, Perry county.

From Benton, via Joel Brown's, Perlmann Daniel's, and Keese's mill, through Colbreath's settlement, to Warren's, Bradley county.

From Gainesville, in Greene county, crossing Black river at Sherry's ferry, via Duckworth's, and the Medical springs, to Charles Hatcher's, on Eleven Point river.

From Velleville, Marion county, via Joseph Coker's, to Forsyth, Taney county, Missouri.

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